

The man who has no time for public work does the most kicking because somebody else runs the town.

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WALSH ADMITS OIL "NIBBLING", BUT HE FINALLY RENIGS

SENATOR T. J. WALSH VICTIM OF PLOT

Claim Is Made That Scores of Investigators Have Been Digging Up Details of Past Life of Man Opening Oil Scandal

A PLAN TO COERCE WALSH

Thus Assert His Friends, the Scheme Being, So They Say, to Drop the Oil Investigation, Or Destroy Weight of His Disclosures

BULLETIN

Washington, March 4.—(United Press).—Forestalling efforts on the part of powerful influences, Senator Walsh today sprung a new sensation by presenting to the Senate Oil committee correspondence between himself and Doherty, California oil magnate, regarding a suggestion that they become associated in operating wells in Montana.

The correspondence disclosed Walsh and Doherty were exchanging letters and telegrams relating possible association to the drilling of oil wells in Montana. The suggestion first came from Senator Hogan of Montana, Walsh said in a letter to the committee enclosing suggestions. Doherty replied by wire that he would be free to become associated with Walsh and Walsh's brother in Montana drilling. Walsh later backed out from the arrangement, writing Doherty that he did not wish to be connected with any enterprise which might require dealing with the government.

Washington, March 4.—(United Press).—Powerful influences are already at work seeking to intimidate and "hush up" prospective witnesses in the Senate investigation of Attorney General Daugherty's administration of the department of justice, it was disclosed here today.

At the same time a plot to discredit Senator Thomas J. Walsh, who opened up the oil scandal, was revealed.

Scores of investigators have been digging up every detail of Walsh's past life and have been prying into the affairs of members of his family. Walsh's friends see in this a plan to discredit him so as to force him to drop the oil investigations, or to destroy the weight of his disclosures.

Senator Burton K. Wheeler, of Montana, in whose hands the direction of the Daugherty inquiry has been placed by the investigating com-

HORSE AND BUGGY ARE STOLEN AT NESBIT PLACE

D. H. Nesbit, residing on the Washington-Burgettstown road, three miles north of Oak Grove, had a horse, buggy and harness stolen some time Sunday night from his barn. The horse was a small brown driving horse with two white hind feet. The buggy had red running gears. The horse and buggy were traced as far as Allison avenue, Washington. So far there is no clue to the outfit.

CHARLEROI GIRL IS RECIPIENT OF HONORS

Word was received by the Mail this morning from the "Michigan Daily," to the effect that Miss Olive McKay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin McKay of Washington avenue, a student at the University of Michigan, has been appointed assistant business manager of the Junior Girls play.

If you lost it. Advertise it. The Mail will find it. One cent a word.

Honors For The Postmaster S. D. R. Hill

Postmaster S. D. R. Hill, who was at the head of the campaign in the Harding Memorial Fund drive here, was surprised when he learned that

Charleroi had "gone over the top" by raising more money than any town or city in this section of the country. Nearly \$400 was secured in the drive here. Mr. Hill entertained the opinion that he "wasn't doing much," hence the information of the success that he achieved reflects to his popularity and the fact that the confidence in him reposed, had not been misplaced.

CELL FOR THE LADY RATHER THAN LIQUIDATE

New York, March 4.—(United Press).—Mrs. Alice Gibson, fur buyer, living in a fashionable hotel, spent a night in a cell at West Thirtieth street police station rather than pay what she asserted was a 30-cent overcharge in a taxi fare.

After Charleroi To Enter The B. B. Tourney

A letter was received yesterday by Superintendent Pollock inviting Charleroi High School to compete in a basketball tournament at Washington and Jefferson college on March 15.

The object of the tournament is to determine the champions of the county. The teams will be divided into two classes according to the total enrollment of the different high schools in the county. In the first class California, Donora, Monongahela City, McDonald and Charleroi will appear.

Charleroi High school will be represented as will McDonald High school, last year's county champions. Whether California, Donora or Mon City will enter is not known at this time.

The tentative date set for this tournament is March 15, and the contests will be played at the college gymnasium.

Charleroi has been scheduled to meet the strong Braddock High school team at Braddock either on Tuesday or Friday of next week. On Friday last Braddock defeated Monessen High school in a close game.

Woman Makes Ready For Her Funeral

San Bernardino, Calif., March 4.—(United Press).—Mrs. Laura E. W. Paine, an invalid, but in no immediate peril of death, has personally arranged for her funeral.

Paine's first step was the selection, through photographs, of a casket. Then, after choosing the style of dress in which she wished to be buried, she called the managers of a restricted cemetery and bought a lot. Her last step was to secure a tombstone, on which she caused to be cut the date of her birth leaving space for the year of her death. On the tombstone will be the unpretentious all-meaning epitaph: "Wife."

GOOD SEATS CAN STILL BE PROCURED

The reservation of tickets for the play, "The Commuters," was started last night in Schroeder's Piano store, Fifth street, and will continue until Thursday afternoon. There is a large choice of good seats yet obtainable.

COSTS ASSESSED ON THE PLAINTIFF

SPINAL MENINGITIS IS FATAL TO A YOUTH

Lloyd Horne, 18-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Horne of Scenery Hill, died at his home yesterday.

dent at Ellsworth High school. Besides his parents he is survived by three brothers, Willis, William and Byron, all at home. He was a member of the Scenery Hill Methodist Episcopal church, where the funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in the church cemetery.

WARRANTS ISSUED FOR BREWING COMPANY HEADS

Scranton, Pa., March 4.—(United Press).—Warrants are to be issued today for the arrest of officials of the Pennsylvania Central Brewing Company, charged with violation of the state dry act. It is claimed the company owned the 200 kegs of alleged good beer seized last night on a railroad siding here.

Action Brought to Recover An Assessment For Automobile Insurance, In Which About 80 Suits Are Filed In County Courts

DEFENDANTS OF VALLEY

Marital Woes Are Aired—Claim Made For \$25,000 For Personal Injuries Alleged to Have Been Received When Automobile Is Struck

In an adjudication handed down by the court yesterday in the case of the William Penn Motor Indemnity Exchange, by William Penn Underwriters attorney in fact, against Samuel G. Haddad, which was tried before the court or question of law, without a jury, last week, it is found that judgment should be entered for the defendant and against the plaintiff for the costs. If no exceptions are filed within 30 days, judgment will be entered accordingly.

This was the action brought to recover an assessment for automobile insurance, in which about 60 suits were filed in the court against defendants in the Monongahela valley section. The court finds that the plaintiff company is in essence, if not in all respects, a mutual insurance company, and its subscribers are to be treated as if members of such a concern.

Certain losses having occurred assessments were made against all of the subscribers of members, including the defendant, for the recovery of which later assessment this action was instituted. It was conceded by the defendant that the plaintiff association, by its board of directors, may levy such assessment, but it was alleged by the defendant in his affidavit of defense that no such assessment was ever made by the plaintiff association, and that if made by any other persons or company, it was made without authority.

It was conceded by counsel for plaintiff, upon the argument of the case, that there never had been any meeting of the subscribers; that they had never organized, or as an organization attempted to function, and that the William Penn underwriters had never been appointed by the organization as such to represent it, and that the assessments attempted to be collected were not levied by the plaintiff, but by the board of directors of the self-assumed agent corporation.

Arthur William Brunges, of Monongahela, charged Missouri Montgomery Brunges, of Monongahela, with cruel and barbarous treatment in a libel in the Pitts- borough, on December 1, 1915, (Continued on Page Two)

LOCAL MAN IS NAMED AS INSURANCE AGENT

George W. Ryan, general agent of the Provident Mutual Life Insurance Company, Philadelphia, announces the appointment of William G. Mollenauer, 307 Meadow avenue, as his representative in Charleroi and locality.

CIVIL WAR VET DIES IN WEST

Wire received yesterday announced the death at Norris, Mont., on Sunday, of J. J. Uley, 78 years old, a Civil War veteran, and a member of Company I, Ringgold Battalion.

Mr. Uley was born and reared near Scenery Hill. The body will be shipped to Scenery Hill, and is expected to reach there about tomorrow. Funeral services and interment will take place this week, but the time for the funeral has not yet been decided upon.

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One Is Held As Material Witness In Burgettstown Murder

MILLIONS FOR NEW SCHOOLS IS SPENT

Philadelphia, March 4.—(United Press).—The Board of Education here spent a total of \$7,991,205 during 1923 for the erection and partial equipment of eleven new schools and repairs to several hundred others, according to the annual report of the Superintendent of Public Schools.

during the year was 3.3 per cubic foot.

Pay your debts and smile. Our plan will relieve your burden. The Community Savings and Loan Company. 2292*

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Dominic Merola, aged 43, who gave Patton, Allegheny county, as his home, and his occupation as a salesman, was taken to the Washington county jail yesterday by Constable W. F. Core, of Burgettstown, to be held as a material witness in connection with the killing of Salvatore Perry, aged 37, an Italian, at the Bertha mine, near Burgettstown, Sunday. Perry died in a Pittsburgh hospital from his wounds.

County Detective D. W. Gage and Constable W. F. Core were with him when they found the man for killing Perry but failed to find him at the place to which he was taken. Perry was shot down by the Bertha mine.

EDGEWOOD TEAM WANTS A GAME

MRS. BUCKSTEIN GIVES TESTIMONY

Washington, March 4.—(United Press).—Mrs. Buckstein, wife of E. B. McLean's secretary, today told the Walsh investigating committee that William G. Burns furnished the Justice Department with the code which was used in transmitting telegrams to McLean at Palm Beach.

Mrs. Buckstein said she is a special agent for the Department of Justice. Her committee today made known the efforts to hush up witnesses in that investigation when he announced that from now on every move of the committee would be veiled in deepest secrecy.

Wheeler made known that certain witnesses called by the Senate Oil committee in connection with department of justice matters had likewise had pressure put on them to keep them from testifying.

Wheeler today was hard at work with a legal assistant sifting the mass of material in the committee's possession.

It would seem that other towns have recognized the ability of our High School Girls' Basketball team even before Charleroi itself. The Edgewood girls, who for years have had the strongest team in Western Pennsylvania, have asked for two games with the locals. Edgewood's team is better than ever this year, and their two forwards are said to be the best in this part of the state. Whether or not they will be too much for our guards remains to be seen. The first game will be played on Friday, March 7, at 8 o'clock on the home floor. It will be the hardest our girls have played this year, or any year previous.

Our girls have a championship team, and there is no reason why they should not be able to beat the Edgewood girls. It will be a close, strenuous game regardless of which team is victorious. If the locals display the skill and dexterity they did Saturday night against the Steubenville team, which caused that team to lose its first game in three years, there will be little doubt as to the outcome on Friday. The return game will be played at Edgewood some time in the near future.

Tonight Canonsburg comes here to play our girls on the home floor. The game will start at eight o'clock. The form displayed in this game will probably show whether or not the locals are in shape for the Edgewood game.

WOMAN WILL FURNISH BAIL FOR HEARING

Mrs. Charline Colosima, wife of Louis Colosima, will probably furnish bail for her preliminary hearing, to be held before Squire J. B. Smith, on or about April 1. As related in yesterday's Mail, Mrs. Colosima is charged with shooting her husband, the preferred charge probably to be felonious shooting with intent to kill. Colosima is in the local hospital, but it is said that he will not be operated on for the removal of the bullet in his knee-cap, for a few days. The hearing has been postponed until such time as Colosima is able to appear against his wife.

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THE FRENCH FRANC STILL WEAKENING

Paris, March 4.—(United Press).—The French franc continued to weaken today with the dollar at 24.10 and the pound sterling 105.50.

A government financial authority told the United Press the continued fall of the franc was due to world-wide speculation.

"Many are selling short of francs. They are likely to experience heavy losses soon," he said.

BABY CHICKS.

In buying from you you may count your chicks before they are hatched. White Leghorns, Brown Leghorns, Barred Rocks, White Rocks, Rhode Island Reds, White Wyandottes, Mot-

Orpingtons, Chicken Supplies. Incubators, and Brooders. Charleroi Hardware Co., 513 McKean Avenue, Bell Phone 302. 2281*

FIRST ANNUAL DANCE

by C. T. V. Classes, Turner Hall, Friday evening, March 7th. Music furnished by Harlem Harmony Band. Assessment, couple \$1.75, gentlemen, \$1.00, ladies 50c. Everyone invited. 2285p*

Flames In An Oil Refinery In Pittsburgh Are Spreading Rapidly

Pittsburgh, March 4.—(United Press).—Fire broke out in the Atlantic Refining Branch at Fifty-eighth and Butler streets about noon today. It was reported spreading rapidly.

The fire was in the high tank, 50 feet above the ground, and fanned by the strong southern winds offered great resistance to the efforts of the firemen to extinguish.

The Lawrenceville fire department was called.

MEN'S SOCIAL UNION MEET AND THEY APPOINT

The officers of the Men's Social Union of St. Mary's Episcopal church met last evening in the Board of Health office of the Borough building and appointed the following committees: Executive, Roland Brown, chairman; John N. Uley, treasurer; Walter T. Bromwich, Fred Powell and Rev. Sidney H. Dixon, ex-officio; finance, Harry C. Yon, chairman; Richard A. Roberts, Joseph H. Chilton, Frank H. Wilnot and Alfred Wildman; entertainment, Walter H. Fielding, chairman, Samuel Simcox, Jr., Harry N. Allen, Bannister Roberts and Robert Turnbull. There will be no meetings until after Lent, but after that time the entertainment committee will get busy.

SPRING OPENING AND FASHION SHOW

Our show rooms at Zelenske's, The Women's Store, 411 McKean avenue, are now ready with a complete line of the most authoritative and exclusive new spring styles in coats, dresses and hats. In addition we have arranged to make a special showing of the Chappie Coats, for smart women, offering them at popular prices. You must see them to appreciate their exclusive models. They come in all sizes. Lovely spring dresses for all occasions, street, party and business. Sizes in stock, 14 to 50. Particularly do we emphasize to you that we have a complete line of extra sizes, specializing model dresses for the stout ladies designed with slender lines. We take pride in announcing our

showing of the most exclusive and extraordinary new spring pattern hats, representing the finest creations of New York and Paris designers. The showing includes Pokes, Mushrooms, Off-the-face effects, new Turbans and all specially priced at \$50.00. Every woman in this vicinity should make it her business to see these new coats, dresses and hats. There will be nothing to surpass them at the price offered. You will not only save money but

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SUCCESS OF THE SALES.

Last week Charlertoi merchants closed one of the most successful, maybe the most successful, of their Dollar Day sales. The primeval reason for the successes attendant on the sales, is the fact that the business men gave value received—and more than was represented in each purchase.

People are quick to learn the value of square and honorable business methods; and they are as apt in their deduction of questionable methods on the part of a merchant. Charlertoi business men have known from the start that they cannot take a 69-cent article and mark it up to a dollar, because the chance may, perhaps, be afforded at Dollar Day sales. The public is too wise in knavery to be hoodwinked. The fact that the merchants of the borough have been closely to the line, closely to the adage that "honesty is the best policy," therein is contained in part, at least, the success of their Sales days. They have backed each purchase by their word and their integrity, which mean more to them than financial gain in the maintenance and upbuilding of their business.

Boroughs the proportions of Charlertoi advance or retard in proportion as their business interests prosper. The volume of trade which enters this borough would not have accrued only through the fact that the merchants of the town carefully and zealously guard it, and they could not by any manner of means hold it, unless they have good goods at prices which will not only meet the competition of city establishments, but in the majority of cases, the same goods at "just a little lower prices."

Charlertoi is flooded with mail order catalogues and special circulars from the big cities of the state, and outside the state. The Dollar Day sales have convinced the people that nothing is gained, and in the majority of cases, the purchaser is the loser by buying out-of-town. It must be remembered that the local business man is the one who helps maintain the institutions of the borough; that he is called upon to disgorge at every occasion of charitable impulse, and that his cultivation, his friendship, means for the weal of not only the individual, but the prosperity and the advancement of the community. In union there is strength; unite with the merchants in not only solidifying the best interests of the borough and community, but in maintaining those we already have. The better the fellowship between all concerned, the greater will be civic advancement.

OFFICIAL CORRUPTION IN 1779

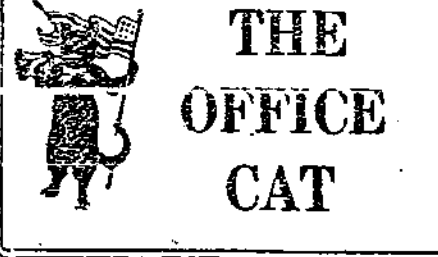
There was official corruption, the putting of individual gain above the public good by public servants, in the days of George Washington also, for in March 1779, he wrote to James Warren as follows: "Speculation, pecuniary, engrossing forestalling, with all their concomitants, afford too many melancholy proofs of the decay of public virtue. Is the paltry consideration of a little dirty pelf to individuals to be placed in competition with the essential rights and liberties of the present generation, and of millions yet unborn? Shall a few designing men, for their own aggrandizement and to gratify their own avarice, overset the goodly fabric we have been rearing at the expense of so much time, blood and treasure? Ah! shall we at last become the victims of our own abominable lust of gain?"

If George Washington were now at the head of the government in the city that bears his name, he would see more than he did at the time he wrote "vigorous measures" to be adopted with a view to "punishing those merchants" for the "abominable lust of gain" at all costs. He would see the growth of the city, and it seems to be much more than it was in his day to find means of procuring real estate and thus "checking the growth of these monstrous evils." The language that he has used is not now to be appropriately employed. It will be seen that Washington in this particular was pointed toward the future. He was not only a prophet, but a statesman.

SAYS GERMANY CAN PAY.

The interesting news comes from Paris that the Dawes committee will report not only that Germany can pay, but that after a brief moratorium she can pay substantial annuities toward a total of seventy billion gold marks. It is stated that this would be sufficient to allow France twenty-six billion gold marks for the repayment of the reconstruction of the devastated regions plus twelve billions for the payment of interallied debts, and to England the fourteen billions which she has asked in order to pay America what she owes as well as to allow Italy and Belgium five billion gold marks. With all this brought about, it is obvious that a long step toward a final and acceptable settlement will have been made.

Still more interesting is the reported showing of the Dawes committee that all this can be done merely by fixing upon the German people taxes as heavy as those now imposed upon the French and British taxpayers. It has been asked over and over why German could not stand taxation equally as heavy as that borne by France and England, particularly in view of the fact that Germany, unlike France, remained safe from the devastating tread of contending armies and now has no internal debt. The only answer given, apart from the cry of poverty, was that the German government feared that the Germans would not submit to it with the patience of the French and British. It is not stated what guarantees or pledges the committee will demand, although this would seem to be the most important feature. Experience having shown how difficult, if not impossible it is to hold Germany to any pledge whatever.



THE OFFICE CAT

TWO MOTTOES.
For worried taxpayer: "E Pluribus Bonus."
For pro-bonus workers: "Their name is Legion."

Why is it, that the woman who is acknowledged by all her friends to be a dutiful wife, almost always looks tired and humble?

Sweet visiting girl, so pure, so true. She surely was the berries! Yes, my heart is with the home-town girl, But my lips are parked on Mary's.

A pretty face isn't sufficient equipment for life, says a feminine writer. That's true. Some very pretty girls have very ordinary ankles.

Nobody is more cynical than a flapper who is obliged to go to a petting party with a cracked lip.

A Charlertoi man is convinced that he will never be a fashionable "gambler" because he can't sleep with the sun shining.

We can't recall the old joke we pulled in years gone by. We cannot think of new ones, no matter how we try—

For taxes, coal, and other bills have made us want to cuss—

We cannot crack a single joke; we feel quite serious.

at the gas company. He says "Sawing wood, shoveling coal and getting out the ashes are fine winter sport."

SOME BUGLER!
Two negro buck privates were discussing the relative merits of their buglers during the World War.

Mary Succeeds on Main Street
By LAURA MILLER
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BEAUTY IMPORTED

Main Street is stupid. Main Street is blind. Main Street drives out youth and joy and vision. So says in substance the creator of a now famous book. So say the girls who try to escape from humdrum lives by escaping to the city, each from her particular gray corner of her especially hateful Main Street sort of town.

Down in Kentucky there are some folk who reverse this process. Humdrum gray lives there? Yes, indeed! Escape both wise and necessary if the Kentucky mountain folk are to grow into Americans with their fair chance at life, liberty and pursuit of happiness? Absolutely. Urge 'em all to move to Louisville, St. Louis or Chicago? By no means! Let's bring instead, the best that Any Place has discovered to these mountain and mountain people! So say the interested folks down there in Kentucky.

This story is of a gracious woman at what she calls her "life's sunset period, with wonderful real lights out over the mountains to the east and the blue grass of the north. There are equally high colors in the lives of 225 mountain boys, who range from twenty to thirty-five years of age, and from the A B C to the eighth grade certificate. It is pioneer work. No woman has ever lived with these boys, and I live a very thrilling life at old well-known Berea college.

Perhaps one must have known Laura Drake Gill of Boston and New York, magazine writer and one-time college dean, personally, to sense how much charm and richness of fine experience she is contributing to the "thrilling" pulsing life of Berea on the edge of the mountain country.

What every woman may know, Miss Gill feels, is that no Main Street is too isolated for the joie de vivre, as the French gallantly phrase the joy of living, to come in, that many of the good community organizations are eager to be of service, and that all they lack is a hearty invitation from some one who wants more of the beauty of life imported into her town and who will get her fellow citizens to help distribute it.

Rosary."

2nd Private: "Hush, nigger, you all ain't got no bugler a-tall. When our bugler, Snowball Jones, wraps his lips round 'dat bugle and sounds 'Mess Call,' ah looks down at mah beans and says: 'Strawberries, behave; you're kickin' de whipped cream outen de plate.'"

An Indiana girl named Book has just been married to a fellow called Page. Cant help wondering as to the number of pages.

If parents will train their children to be "good," God will train them to be "religious."

Gladys believes that a woman eligible for recommendation as a wife who will be good at stretching her husband's pay check is the one who can squeeze the most tricks out of a poor hand at bridge.

Persons who think that Santa Claus is a myth, should look at the stubs in Dad's check book.

The less men think, the more they talk.

If you are angry, count ten before you speak; if your wife is angry count out ten and let that speak for you.

One of the strangest things in this world is how happy a child can be without knowing it.

COULDN'T BUY ENOUGH POISON TO KILL

New York, March 4.—(United Press).—Dire poverty drove Raymond Smith and his wife to attempt a double suicide. Even death mocked them. All the poison they had money to buy proved to do more than make them very ill.

FORD HAS NOTHING ON JOSE RUBEN

New York, March 4.—(United Press).—Jose Ruben, impresario, couldn't pay his cast in Washington because of "difficulties," he said. These proved to be that he had nothing but \$1,000 bills. Ruben says he will produce at—on—

DALY'S PETITION IS AMONG THOSE FILED

The nominating petition of Kerfoot W. Daly, candidate for delegate to the Republican National convention from the Twenty-ninth Congressional district, was filed in the election bureau, Harrisburg, yesterday.

FRED EHRHARDT IS NAMED AN AUDITOR

Scranton, Pa., March 4.—(United Press).—Fred Ehrhardt, this city, one of the oldest legislators in point of service, was today named an auditor for the workmen's compensation insurance board in Scranton.

SPORTSMEN ARE FEEDING THE GAME OF STATE

Harrisburg, March 4.—(United Press).—Reports to the State Game Commission from sections affected by the severe snow storms indicate that sportsmen are cooperating with game protectors in feeding game birds and animals.

With snow in many cases a foot or more deep and covered with thick layers of frozen "crust," there has been great danger of starvation.

Game becomes easy prey for vermin when the snow is deep, the commission points out. But at the same time hunting and trapping of noxious animals is facilitated.

Wardens along with their work of caring for starving forest creatures have increased efforts to make February a banner month in the extermination of vermin. Hundreds of weasels, thousands of crows and many foxes and wildcats have been killed.

COSTS ASSESSED ON THE PLAINTIFF

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and lived together until February 26, 1924. Bruges charges that on September 23, 1923, his wife hit him on the head with a jar of fruit spilling the contents over his clothing. He also avers that she attempted to scald him with a teakettle of boiling water.

Desertion is given as the cause of complaint in the libel in divorce just filed by Susie Kutramanos, of Charlertoi, against Pete Kutramenos, who was last heard of at Agrafa, Greece. They were married at Uniontown on November 2, 1919, and lived together until May 27, 1920.

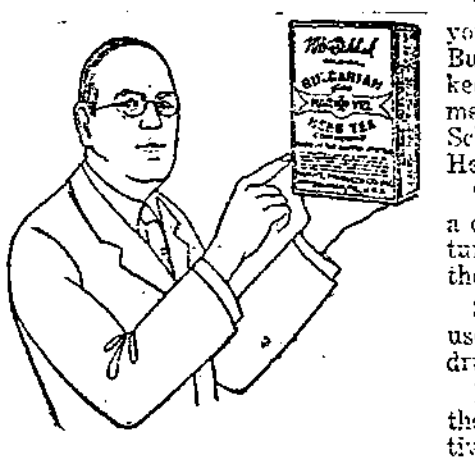
Claiming \$25,000 for personal injuries alleged to have been received when the automobile in which she was riding was struck by the machine of the defendant, Marie Deffer of Donora, has brought suit against James W. Purcell, of Donora. The statement of claim sets forth that on July 4, 1923, while the plaintiff was on her way from Charlertoi to Donora, in an automobile driven by Willis H. Beck, it was struck by the high speed Marmon car driven by the defendant. It is alleged that he was going at a high rate of speed. The plaintiff avers that she was seriously injured.

A suit to recover \$359 as damages for a broken leg sustained by her minor son has been filed by Josephine Bakaitis, in her own right and as the parent and next friend of William Kosky, aged 10 years, against the Greensboro Gas company, of Pittsburgh. The defendant company maintains a pipe line along a road in Carroll township, near the home of the plaintiffs. The pipe line is exposed in several places and on July 30, 1923 the son of the plaintiff tripped over the exposed pipe breaking a leg.

A suit to recover \$437.40, with interest from December 19, 1923, has been brought against C. Biagini, a merchant of Charlertoi, by the Kankakee-Wick corporation, of Highland, Ill. This is a claim for merchandise alleged to have been purchased from the plaintiff between November 3 and 15 inclusive.

Upon petition, the court has appointed W. E. Londen as minority inspector for the fifth precinct of Donora, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of J. Binley. Leroy Carson has been appointed by the court as minority inspector for the third precinct of Charlertoi. There was no election of an official to fill this office at the last election.

MONUMENTS—Remember the dead. W. S. Cook & Co., with Lawrence B. Frye, Funeral Director. 924



Just remember I have made this tea for sick people for over twenty-five years and today millions are using it. Ask your druggist for my genuine Bulgarian Tea with my name on it in the red and yellow box.

A New Vision of Hope
To the family life looked barren and cold. Widow and youngsters—who would guide them? Then, when the will was read, the wise forethought of a loving husband and father was seen. Monthly while he lived he had set aside a sum to build up a living trust. And at death, he had made sure all his assets would be safeguarded, by naming this Institution as his executor. Will your dependents, too, be freed of care and money worries? We'll gladly tell you how it can be done.
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To Our Subscribers

Last year we added thirty millions of dollars' worth of plant for the telephone service of Pennsylvania. We told you about this through the public press and by various other means. We want you to know our job and how we are doing it. In a public service such as this the public should have all the facts.

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At the Elks alleys last night, the Indians took two out of three games from the Giants. Monte Redd was the star, bowling 491 pins.

INDIANS		
Osborne	205	117 127
F. Piersol	150	187 131
Ryland	143	123 127
Miller	134	138 121
Mitchell	122	110
Monier		91

GIANTS		
W. Feiper	123	168 147
Hess	117	123 132
Meyers	108	118 111

Redd	203	126 162
Middleton		114
Kammerer		102 182
	665	637 684

DOG INDUSTRY

IS GROWING

Hazleton, Feb. 29—(United Press)—The dog industry is growing rapidly in this section. Following successful operation of a Pomeranian kennel here a German police dog farm is to be opened shortly in West Hazleton.

Several police dogs, which are in great demand at high prices just now have already been ordered from Europe. It is hoped to have the farm in operation by spring.

It pays to advertise in the Mail.

The Personal Side

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lee of Crest avenue are visitors in Pittsburgh today.

Duncan Berryman of Lookout avenue is a business caller in Pittsburgh today.

Mrs. J. H. Bowers of Fallowfield avenue is spending the day in Pittsburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Woncheck of Crest avenue are the parents of a son born yesterday.

Miss Anna Watson of Prospect avenue is visiting with her aunt, who is ill in the McKeesport hospital.

Mrs. C. J. Mogan and daughter Eleanor of Crest avenue left this morning for Pittsburgh, where they will spend the day.

Mrs. A. W. Day of Peak's Island, Maine, and Mrs. J. K. Tener of Pittsburgh are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Rush of Washington avenue.

Miss Helen Stevenson of Brownsville returned to her home last evening, after spending the past few days with Mr. and Mrs. Roland Gass of Lookout avenue.

Miss Kathryn Moss of Pennsylvania avenue, North Charleroi, is a patient in the Charleroi-Monessen hospital, having recently underwent an operation for appendicitis.

McClure Mason returned to his home in Fallowfield avenue yesterday from the Charleroi-Monessen hospital, where he has been a patient for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Breining of Washington avenue and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Woodward of Monessen attended the performance of "Blossom Time" at the Alvin theatre, Pittsburgh, last night.

Miss Grace Cavanaugh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Cavanaugh of McKean avenue, has returned to her home from the Charleroi-Monessen hospital, where she underwent an operation.

Helen Virginia Fox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fox of Third street, underwent an operation in the Charleroi-Monessen hospital last night. She is getting along as well as can be expected.

Hon. John L. Post of Taylorstown, Democratic representative from the First Legislative district, was in Charleroi yesterday on business matters. He called upon several of his Democratic and Republican friends, escorted by Ex-Burgess, S. L. Woodward.

Mrs. E. W. Dreyer of Ellsworth, former resident of Charleroi, was taken to the Mercy hospital, Pittsburgh, where she will undergo an operation Thursday of this week. She was accompanied by her husband and son, Herbert.

EAGLES TO PAY RESPECTS

Announcement has just been made that the Monessen Aerie No. 492 Fraternal Order of Eagles will hold memorial services on Sunday afternoon, March 9, in the Star theatre of that city. The services will begin promptly at 3 o'clock and an invitation is extended to the public to attend.

The memorial committee, which includes J. A. Harper, Frank Garrett, John Parer and Chris Fohl, has been working for several weeks in preparation for the event and will present a program that will indeed be fitting for the occasion.

Through the organization committee of the Eagles they were able to secure Attorney Eldon L. Hayes of Wilmington, Ohio, as the principal orator for the day. Mr. Hayes is an orator of some note and well versed in the good work being carried on by the Eagles, especially the old age pension commission, which is being fostered by this organization.

LOCAL STORE IN A NEW DEPARTURE

S. B. Chaney, who conducts the Standard Dollar store at 602 Fallowfield avenue, a gentleman who has been in business here for the past four years, announced this morning that within the next two weeks he will close out all the ready-to-wear apparel in the establishment, the same to be succeeded by a line, for public approval, of dishes, glassware, and household needs.

The name of the store will be known as "Chaney's" and in the future, as in the past, Mr. Chaney is hopeful that, by the courteous treatment of his friends and customers, to retain their goodwill and future patronage, confident that the associations of the past four years will be maintained in his new business departure.

In Society's Realm

Mrs. A. Bezy will entertain the members of St. Jerome's Sewing Circle at her home in Crest avenue this evening. An enjoyable evening is anticipated and a good attendance is urged.

Mr. and Mrs. Christopher J. Mogan of Crest avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Eleanor Mogan and F. Mizell Wilson of Nashville, Tenn., which will terminate in an April wedding.

Mrs. Harry C. Yon will entertain the members of the Ladies' Guild of St. Mary's Episcopal church tomorrow afternoon at her home in 611 Meadow avenue. After the usual business session, the time will be spent in sewing. A good attendance is desired.

One of the most successful social entertainments of the year was held last evening in the Lyceum of St. Jerome's Catholic Church when the Catholic Daughters of America entertained with a Pre-Lenten card party with a record breaking attendance. Euchre, five hundred and old maid were the card games enjoyed and thirty-four tables were in play. Thirty-two favors were accorded the winners. At the close of the games, luncheon was served by the committee, in charge of Mrs. William McBride. Mrs. C. J. Mogan and Mrs. P. J. Connelly had charge of the cards.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Stockwell of Fallowfield avenue was the scene of a very joyous gathering last evening when about eighteen of the friends of Mrs. Stockwell gathered to celebrate with her the reaching of another milestone in the highway of life. Music, both vocal and instrumental, of a high class nature was the main diversion, and at ten o'clock the guests were seated at the table, where a four-course luncheon was served, pink and white being the color scheme. Many and varied were the gifts bestowed upon the hostess, which showed the high esteem in which she is held and each guest departed, sincerely wishing her many happy returns of the day.

Mrs. Robert L. Lytle of Third street, Monessen, entertained the members of the Athens club of Roscoe at her home last evening, in celebration of her first wedding anniversary. There were thirteen members present, who presented Mrs. Lytle with a beautiful Wallace Nutting painting. The entertainment committee composed of Misses Gazelle Ebbage and Elsie Schneider, gave several short sketches that were highly enjoyed. A delightful program of games also added much merrymaking to the occasion. The hostess, assisted by Miss Kathryn Gibson, served a dainty luncheon. Rosebud favors were given each of the guests. Those present were as follows: Misses Eva King, Gazelle Ebbage, Hannah Langford, Mayme Bevard, Elizabeth Forsythe, Jessie Forsythe, Margaret Cairns, Mrs. Jude Parkins, Elsie Schneider, Mrs. Edith Davis, Ethel Fields, Anna King, and Kathryn Gibson.

INTRIGUE IS NOW ALLEGED

Washington, March 4.—(United Press).—Secret intrigues to keep E. B. McLean, off the witness stand in the oil inquiry, will have a further airing today before the Senate oil committee.

The committee got one step nearer the full inside story of the purpose of those intrigues when it called William J. Burns, head of the Department of Justice secret service, to explain how McLean got possession of a code formerly used by Justice agents. Burns also was to be asked whether he sent word to McLean at Palm Beach that he was being investigated by the department.

The committee is interested in McLean's code messages and his unusual efforts to avoid testifying because it believes this indicates that he knows more about the oil scandal than he has told. McLean himself will be put on the stand later in the week and will be asked point blank why he tried so hard to keep out of the inquiry. All he has told about so far is a "loan" of \$100,000 to Albert B. Fall, in the form of checks, which both McLean and Fall said were never cashed. If that was McLean's only part in the matter, he hardly would have explained about it, Senators believe.

They do not disguise the fact that they do not completely believe the story of the \$100,000 loan.

FORMER HEAD OF EAGLES DEAD OF PNEUMONIA

Scranton, Pa., March 4.—(United Press).—Samuel Williams, former president of the Eagles and Redmen in Pennsylvania, is dead in this city of pneumonia.

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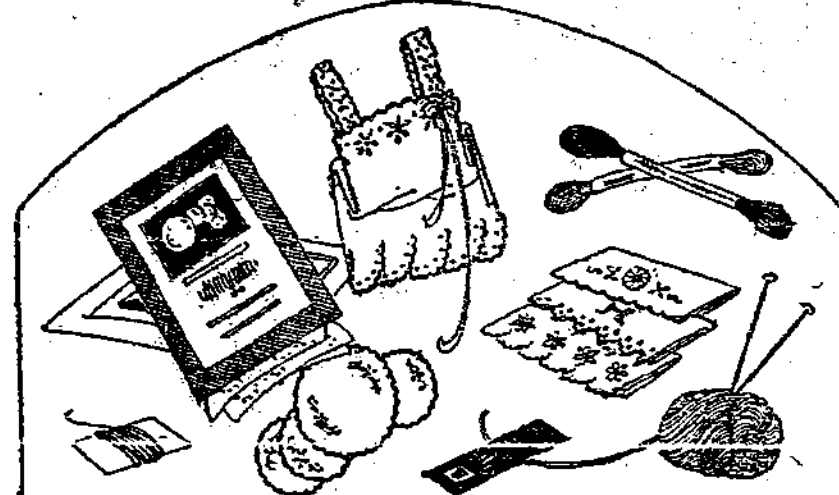
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White Snowbloom Dresser Scarfs, assorted patterns, 18x48 inches 75c
Unbleached Muslin Fudge and Slipon Aprons 25c and 59c

Crepe Negligees in flame color \$1.29
Colored and plain white Linen Towels, at \$1.00 and \$1.50
Cotton Huck Guest Towels, 25c, 29c, 50c "Snowbloom" Luncheon Sets, white and colored, 50c to \$1.25
Linen, Needlecrash and Snowbloom Buffet Sets, white and colored, 45c, 75c, 90c
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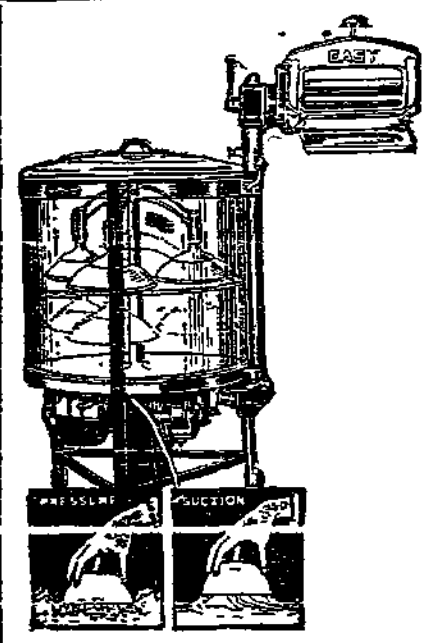


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TRAINING OF TEAM OF GREAT MOMENT

New York, March 4.—(United Press).—Appointment of the board of coaches that will train and handle the American Olympic team will be one of the chief items of business before the executive committee of the American Olympic committee when it meets here Saturday.

Lawson Robertson, track coach at the University of Pennsylvania, has been recommended by the A. A. U. for head coach of the team.

As soon as Robertson is named it is understood Jack Meakley, Cornell Coach and the head coach of the 1920 Olympic team will announce that he will not accept an appointment as an assistant coach.

Meakley recently told a Boston paper he could not accept an appointment other than that of head coach. Seventeen leading coaches were recommended for the staff at the annual meeting of the A. A. U. but Colonel Robert M. Thompson, president of the Olympic committee made known at the last meeting that the list would have to be trimmed to a skeleton to save expenses.

KING GEORGE BETTER OF HIS INDISPOSITION

London, March 4.—(United Press).—King George was somewhat recovered today from an indisposition due to a severe cold, and was seen walking about in the gardens of Buckingham Palace.

SUIT MAY BE BLAMED FOR FIGHT BETWEEN BOROUGHES

Lemoine, March 4.—(United Press) Harry Stone's Easter suit threatens to open hostilities between two heretofore friendly sister boroughs.

Stone is a motorcycle policeman, employed jointly by Camp Hill and Lemoine. Both boroughs recently declared war against speeding and need Stone as their warrior. Hundreds have fallen into his toils and as a result the Harrisburg Motor Club has started action to force Stone to wear uniform.

Camp Hill has agreed with the motor club and decreed that Stone should don official garb. Council has appropriated funds to buy it. But here's where the rub comes. Lemoine will not allow an officer of hers to wear a uniform another borough has purchased so she might insist that Stone change uniforms every time he passes the borough limit. He makes about 50 trips through each town daily.

DOUGHERTY BRANDS A RUMOR AS FALSE

Miami, Fla., March 4.—(United Press).—Attorney General Daugherty today branded as without any foundation in fact whatever rumor circulated yesterday that he was sending a statement to President Coolidge which might be regarded as important. He said he was making no statements and sending none to anyone.



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Commemorative of May Day And Its Meaning To The Many Young

New York City, March 3.—While not in politics, a majority of the 35,000,000 children in the United States are expected to help introduce a new note of optimism into public affairs through a country-wide celebration planned for them.

The celebration, which has the endorsement of President Coolidge, Secretary of Commerce Hoover, members of Congress, women of national importance, educators, the pulpit and heads of the motion picture industry, is to be held on May Day. The date is somewhat removed, but the backers decided to make known their plans early so as to inform the nation of its importance, and to obtain the widest possible co-operation of all classes.

The charge has been made that the United States, immersed in political and business problems, has forgotten how to laugh. The children will help

cheerfulness by promoting good health, joyousness and wholesomeness among children. It is to be one of the mottoes of the undertaking. Every mother, every father, every adult interested in the welfare of the land, is expected to assist in this endeavor in addition of course the great festival is to have its serious side. There is, in the United States, a needlessly high death rate among newly born infants and mothers in childbirth, and the American Child Health Association, in charge of the May Day celebration, is working might and main to reduce this by calling public attention to the importance of good health and wholesomeness among the young. But so far as the May Day festivities themselves are concerned, every agency will be directed to making the day one of merry making, picturesque exercises, and joyous celebration.

Plans for the day were announced by the American Child Health Association after many conferences had been held by leaders of activities throughout the nation. Assurances have been received that every city, town and hamlet in the United States will participate in some way. There are to be parades, pageants, and other appealing exercises commemorative of May Day and its association with the young.

In New York City there will be numerous neighborhood and settlement celebrations, in addition to the usual giant gathering in Central Park under the auspices of the Bureau of Recreation, Department of Parks, the Public School Athletic League, and women of national note.

In addition to giving the undertaking its endorsement, President Coolidge may, it is hoped, find time to take the chief role in the rites in Washington, and possibly broadcast a May Day proclamation to the nation.

Numerous Senators and Representatives in Washington already have joined in the movement.

The Poets' Guide of New York, in an effort to stimulate interest, announces it will pay \$500 for the best poem on May Day submitted to it before March 10. The poems are not to exceed 48 lines and are to be sent to Christodora House, 147 Avenue B, New York City.

The American Child Health Association is an organization made up of nationally known men and women, and has Mr. Hoover for President.

STATE WATERWAY IS IMPORTANT

Harrisburg, Pa., March 4.—(United Press).—First official recognition that commercial worth of a state waterway was more important than the sporting value was contained today in a letter from Attorney General Woodruff to Charles E. Hays, of Harrisburg.

Hays had complained to state authorities because the fishway at McCall's Ferry dam (designed to permit passage of fish over the dam) proved impractical and ruined fishing in the upper waters of the Juniata and Susquehanna rivers.

The attorney general ruled while fishing was important, power development cannot be retarded to open rivers to migratory fish.

Woodruff said putting power corporations' interests ahead of fishermen's was not aimed to "further the interest of any wealthy class but to conserve general public interest in utilization of water power possibilities of our rivers."

CONGRESS TODAY
(United Press)

SENATE—
Norbeck-Bartness farm bill.
Teapot Dome hearings.
Daugherty committee meets in executive session.

HOUSE—
Considers Muscle Shoals.
Ways and Means hearings on soldier bonus.

Naval Affairs considers Alameda naval base project.

PROGRAM SENT OUT FOR GARDEN WEEK

Washington, March 4.—(United Press).—"In the making of gardens is the making of the best American citizenship," said Mrs. John D. Sherman today in completing plans for the second garden week, April 20 to 26. Mrs. Sherman is chairman of the department of applied education and has been identified with club organization work for sixteen years.

"Last year 3,552 children did school garden work in New York City, where conditions are more adverse," continued Mrs. Sherman who is Colorado's nominee for the federation presidency at the convention on June 2 in Los Angeles. "The produce raised was valued at \$33,000 by the school authorities. Other cities should greatly exceed this mark."

Garden week opens on April 20 and the churches are asked to cooperate, for there is many a golden text in garden work. Monday will be devoted to the landscape features and the backyard garden. Tuesday will take up the community garden idea. Wednesday is Bureau of Education Day. Thursday is demonstration day for the boys and girls clubs. Friday is scheduled for trees and wild flowers. The American Tree Association of Washington will send out tree planting suggestions and tree day programs to schools. Saturday is for pageants, plays and exercises with appropriate moving pictures in the "motion picture houses."

President Coolidge and Secretary Hoover have endorsed the Garden Week idea.

SPEERS

C. K. Chalfant was a business caller at Eighty-Four on Monday.

Miss Betty McGill of Belle Vernon was a guest of Miss "Billy" Jones on Monday.

Miss Gertrude Griffith spent Sunday as the guest of Miss Selma Staup of Belle Vernon.

Markwood Staup of Belle Vernon was a Sunday guest of Benjamin Staup of Point Marion.

James Beale of Pittsburgh is spending several days at the home of his brother, Emerson Beale.

Mrs. Martha Hays of Marianna is spending several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Fox.

Mrs. Walter Greene of Ambridge, Pa., spent the week-end as the guest of her mother Mrs. Emily Walters.

Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Jones of Bentleyville.

Mrs. Gladys DeShields of Belle Vernon was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Chalfant on Monday.

Miss Kathryn Beazell, of Pittsburgh, spent the week-end at the home of her sister, Mrs. James T. Heffran.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lax and Miss Blanche Lax of Monongahela were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Lax.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Griffith and children spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Geysegum of Redds Mill.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dunkerly and children, Norma and Earl Chive, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Dunkerly.

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